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THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" Sir, it is imported from outside. It is a small quantity. I do not think it is worth while for the Government to undertake importing milk powder directly."

SRI S. RAMALINGAM·—" சென்ற ஆண்டு சர்க்கார் இங்கு நீராக்கடை ஏற்படுத்தியதுபோல் ஒரு பால் கடை வைப்பதற்கு யோசிப்பார்களா ? " 10-50 a.m.

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" If the hon. Member is prepared to undertake that task, I will consider that suggestion, Sir."

SRI V. R. NAGARAJAN :—" May I know what happened to the Milk Parlour which was opened in the precincts of the Madras High Court some time back? "

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" Except the fact that it relates to milk, the hon. Member's present supplementary question has nothing to do with the main question."

MR. SPEAKER :—" Question No. 166."

SRI V. R. NAGARAJAN :—" My question does arise from the question relating to the Milk Factory. As such . . ."

MR. SPEAKER :—" We are now on the next question."

Irrigation facilities for lands on the right bank of Palampuzha reservoir.

* 166 Q.—SRI M. NARAYANA KURUP : Will the Hon. the Minister for Public Works be pleased to state—

(a) whether the Government have received any memorandum, dated 5th December 1953, from the Grama Seva Sangham, Puthupariyaram, South Malabar, regarding irrigation facilities for lands on the right bank of the Malampuzha reservoir; and

(b) if so, the action taken thereon?

THE HON. RAJA SRI SHANMUGA RAJESWARA SETHUPATHI :—" (a) Yes.

" (b) The matter is under the consideration of the Government."

Employees' strike in Parry & Co., Madras.

* 167 Q.—SRI K. P. GOPALAN : Will the Hon. the Minister for Industries and Labour be pleased to state—

(a) whether it is a fact that 500 employees of the Parry & Co., Madras, went on one-day strike on 23rd December 1953;

(b) if so, the reasons for the strike;

(c) whether any conciliation was effected by the Labour Officer between the management of the Parry & Co., and the workers; and

(d) if so, with what result?